

we do not have  
"freedom of the  
press" if Sinclair  
Broadcasting' is  
free to use their  
ownership of  
stations to force  
them to show Stolen  
Honor days before  
the election.

The FCC, as a  
tax-based monitor of  
our airwaves, must  
protect our right to  
have balanced,  
non-partisan news.  
There is a real  
danger that through  
ownership of large  
numbers of stations,  
Sinclair does and  
will determine what  
we may see and hear.

I was raised on the  
dangers of Nazi-type  
propaganda -- it is  
your  
responsibilities, as  
directors of the FCC  
to maintain fair and  
balanced  
presentation of the  
news.

Please strengthen  
media ownership  
rules. Your review  
of ownership during  
stations' renewal  
process is to  
protect our right to  
have non-partisan  
information. "Free  
enterprise" depends  
on competition, as  
much in the delivery  
of information as in  
selling automobiles.

Thank you.